

House Calendar No. 51

105TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. RES. 167

[Report No. 105–139]

Providing special investigative authorities for the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 17, 1997

Mr. SOLOMON submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules

JUNE 19, 1997

Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

RESOLUTION

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1 *Resolved,*

2 **SECTION 1. APPLICATION.**

3 This resolution shall apply to the investigation by the
4 Committee on Government Reform and Oversight of politi-
5 cal fundraising improprieties and possible violations of
6 law.

1 **SEC. 2. HANDLING OF INFORMATION.**

2 Information obtained under the authority of this res-
3 olution shall be—

4 (1) considered as taken by the Committee on
5 Government Reform and Oversight in the District of
6 Columbia, as well as at the location actually taken;
7 and

8 (2) considered as taken in executive session.

9 **SEC. 3. DEPOSITIONS AND INTERROGATORIES.**

10 The chairman of the Committee on Government Re-
11 form and Oversight, after consultation with the ranking
12 minority member of the committee, may—

13 (1) order the taking of depositions or interroga-
14 tories anywhere within the United States, under
15 oath and pursuant to notice or subpoena; and

16 (2) designate a member of the committee or an
17 attorney on the staff of the committee to conduct
18 any such proceeding.

19 **SEC. 4. INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITIES.**

20 The chairman of the Committee on Government Re-
21 form and Oversight, after consultation with the ranking
22 minority member of the committee, may—

23 (1) order the taking of depositions and other
24 testimony under oath anywhere outside the United
25 States; and

1 (2) make application for issuance of letters rog-
2 atory, and request, through appropriate channels,
3 other means of international assistance, as appro-
4 prium.

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